

TABLE 16 Percent Distribution of Unemployed Persons Looking for Work by Job Search Method, by Sex and Region: January 2014

Sex and Region	Total	Job Search Method					
		Registered in Employment Agency Private	Registered in Employment Agency Public	Approached Employer Directly	Approached Relatives or Friends	Placed or Answered Advertisements	Others
<b>Philippines</b>							
<b>Both Sexes</b>	<b>1,516</b>	<b>284</b>	<b>89</b>	<b>570</b>	<b>470</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>35</b>
Number (in thousands)							
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Male	60.6	59.7	52.2	58.9	66.0	55.2	54.1
Female	39.4	40.3	47.8	41.1	34.0	44.8	45.9
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	95.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
National Capital Region	24.8	28.8	29.6	18.8	28.4	34.3	12.8
Cordillera Administrative Region	1.7	1.0	1.4	0.6	2.2	8.2	5.4
I - Ilocos Region	4.8	5.3	8.1	4.4	4.8	2.9	1.3
II - Cagayan Valley	1.5	1.1	1.1	1.5	2.0	1.1	0.7
III - Central Luzon	11.4	9.9	19.2	10.5	12.5	9.5	8.7
IVA - CALABARZON	19.8	28.0	11.7	22.4	14.2	8.2	28.6
IVB - MIMAROPA	2.2	1.8	2.3	1.7	3.3	0.8	-
V - Bicol Region	6.0	1.9	1.2	9.3	5.6	4.3	5.1
VI - Western Visayas	5.7	4.1	6.9	7.2	4.6	7.1	4.6
VII - Central Visayas	6.3	6.7	3.1	0.0	6.3	8.7	27.2
VIII - Eastern Visayas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
IX - Zamboanga Peninsula	1.8	1.5	2.8	1.2	2.0	5.5	-
X - Northern Mindanao	4.5	4.7	4.5	6.8	1.5	4.6	3.8
XI - Davao Region	3.6	1.6	1.7	4.5	4.3	3.8	-
XII - SOCCSKSARGEN	2.2	1.8	2.8	2.5	2.5	-	0.9
Caraga	2.2	1.7	1.1	1.9	3.5	1.0	1.1
Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	1.5	0.2	2.5	1.6	2.2	-	-

Note: Region VIII was not covered in the January 2014 LFS.

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, *January 2014 Labor Force Survey*